STANDARD FORM NO. 64 ice Memori UNITED GOVERNMENT The Director DATE: December 9, 1958 Tolson Belmont Marie M. Meyer m. m. Mohr FROM Nease Parsons Rosen Tamm DIRECTOR'S AUTOGRAPH SUBJECT: Trotter W.C. Súllívan "MASTERS OF DECEIT" Tele. Room DEBOE It is respectfully requested that you autograph the book, "Masters of Deceit," to Mrs. de Boe (nee Mizpah Otto)) of Coral Gables, Florida, widow of Dr. Michael Price de Boe. Mrs. de Boe is the sister of Dr. Thomas Osgood Otto, whom you will recall, and because of this relationship, I would appreciate your autographing this book accordingly. **RECOMMENDATION:** It is recommended that the attached book be autographed to Mrs. Michael Price de Boe. **REC-28** Enclosure

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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December 29, 1958

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Mr. Tamm
Mr. Trotter
Mr. W.C.Sullivan
Mr. Holloman
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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Thank you for the welcome copy of your book, Masters of Deceit.

I am looking forward to reading it with a great deal of anticipation and am certain from all reports that I shall enjoy every page.

Best wishes for the new year.

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friend of Bureau personnel in the Charlotte Division and has been extra helpful to Bureau employees in the past in connection with efforts to present the furniture. He is a great admirer of the Director and a great booster FBI. Special Agent Robert M. Stevenson, the Senior Resident Agent Fayetteville, North Carolina, has told me that Mr. would deeply a personally autographed copy of the Director's book, "Masters of De	urchase b6 of the b7C at appreciate
I have arranged to obtain a copy of the book and I am propos have it delivered to him as a Christmas present.	ing to
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December 16, 1958

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I recently purchased a copy of your latest book "Masters of Deceit" for my son, who is a student at William and Mary College.

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William's hura Var am planning to give him this as a Christmas gift and if you can find the time before Christmas to favor us with your autograph in the book I am sure my son would consider it a great honor.

He has been active during his school days both in athletics and other extra curricular activities and is majoring in chemistry at the present time.

I am sure that you receive many more requests of this sort than it is possible for you to fill but if you do find the time we would deeply appreciate the favor.

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Office Memodridum UNITED STOES GOVERNMENT Mr. Nease 🕅 DATE: December 18, 1958 "MASTERS OF DECEIT" Trotter SUBJECT: REQUESTS FOR AUTOGRAPHED COPIES Tele. Room Holloman As of close of business today, we have on hand 796 copies of "Masters of Deceit" which have been processed for autographing by the Director. These include copies awaiting in the Director's office. As you will recall, by airtel dated 12/15/58 all SAC's were advised that due to the flood of requests many such requests could not be fulfilled to insure return before Christmas. All offices were therefore advised that these books would be retained at the Seat of Government to be autographed and returned after the first of the year. It was pointed out that any employee desiring a refund or an unautographed copy should advise the Bureau promptly. To date no such requests have been received from the field. RECOMMENDATION: For information. JAN 12 1959

December 31, 1958

The Book Reporters 8811 South Cimarron Street Los Angeles 47, California

- It was indeed thoughtful of you to send me your card of Holiday Greetings, and I appreciated your accompanying note. It was a pleasure to have you visit our facilities, and I hope you will not hesitate to call upon us if you have occasion to be in Washington in the future.

I was, of course, encouraged to learn of the activities of your Book Reporters units in connection with "Masters of Deceit."

You and your loved ones have my best wishes for a New Year filled with all good things.

Sincerely yours,

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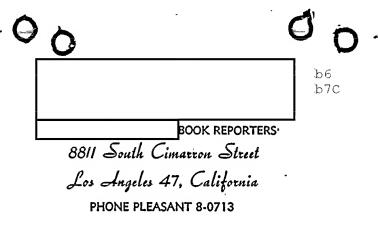
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December 19, 1958

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

This is my opportunity to wish you the joys of the Christmas Season and to let you know that Book Reporters are in deep gratitude to you for our visit to the F.B.I. on October 17, 1958.

As requested by your letter of September 18, 1958, we called your office upon our arrival in Washington D.C. for an appointment.

May we especially commend Mr. Bernard M. Suttler, whose courtesy and consideration will never be forgotten by our committee.

I would like you to know that our Book Reporters units are taking pride in including "Masters of Deceit" in their schedule, and I am sure many of them will review it to large audiences.

Since Mr. Arthur Vogel of the United States Information Agency has become so vitally interested in the possibilities of Book Reporters doing an intercultural job with other Nations, we shall return to Washington at some later date and hope again to be able to make some report of progress to the F.B.I.

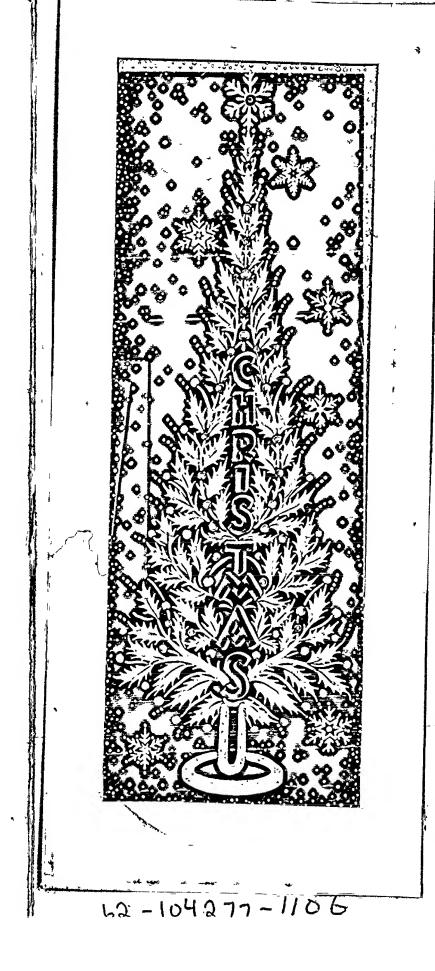
May God increase his blessings to you in the Christmas Season for your great contribution to humanity.

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Best wishes for Christmus and a Nappy New Year

January 6, 1959 Mr. D. G//Fichter Vice President The Federal Bearings Company, Inc. Poughkeepsie, New York Dear Mr. Fichter: Your letter of December 30, 1958, has been received, and I certainly appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing. It was a pleasure to autograph the copy of "Masters of Deceit" which was presented to you by Special Agents and Heinz Eisele. I am gratified by your kind comments about the book and my representatives with whom you have had contacts. It is indeed encouraging to know that they are respected in your community. Sincerely yours, MAILED 9 JAN 6 - 1959 de Mirar Latven COMM-FBI 1 - New York - Enclosure - C. O. i. NOTE: Book autographed to DanH. Fichter in December. 1958. at the -request of SA of the New York Office. assigned New York, ASRA Poughkeepsiek GS 13. Heinz H. Eisele, EOD 2-28-49, SRA Penghkeepsie, New York, GS 13. DWB:cr

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## The Federal Bearings Co. Inc. Poughkeepsie New York

December 30, 1958

J. Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

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Yesterday and Heinz Eisele, your two resident agents, brought me your autographed book Masters of Deceit. I was more than happy to receive the gift and wish to sincerely express my appreciation for sending it to me.

Last evening I had the opportunity of reading some of the chapters and know for certain I will enjoy each page as I continue with it.

My association with men of your organization has existed for many years. The respect shown them by industry, business and the public at large, in this area, speaks more forcefully than I or anyone else can of the high esteem we have for them for what they and their organization are doing for all of us.

My congratulations to you for building and heading such a fine organization and my sincerest thanks again for the gift.

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D. G. Fichter

Most respectfully

Vice President

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January 9, 1959

REG-1062-104277-1108 EX-135 Mrs. 207 West Park Drive

Raleigh, North Carolina

its enclosure, has been received.

Dear Mrs. Your letter dated December 29, 1958, with

It was indeed thoughtful of you to afford me the benefit of your views concerning the matter discussed in your letter.

Your kind comments concerning my book. "Wasters of Deceit." are most gratifying.

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Sincerely yours.

to Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover Director

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ATTENTION: SAC. Charlotte

Enclosed for your information is a copy of correspondent's letter. She enclosed a clipping from the "Raleigh News and Observer" dated December 15, 1958, entitled "Gill Asks Lawyers" Help. This article referred to a suggestion made by States Transcurrent College. to a suggestion made by Statey Treasurer Edwin Gill that lawyers cooperate with public schools in efforts to educate the young on the meaning of Constitutional freedoms

correspondent of Edwin Gill. Mark Singles

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#### NOTE ON YELLOW:

Correspondent advises she read "Masters of Deceit" with deep interest and concern. She urges that a drive be made to include a course in high schools on the evils of communism and believes if an appeal is made by a man of national reputation, it would have great weight. She then inquires why cannot the President make such an appeal. This appears to be in the nature of a suggestion rather than an inquiry to which she expects a reply, therefore, no comment is being made concerning this matter.

207 West Park Drive Raleigh, North Carolina Dec. 29th., 1958 Mr. Tolson
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Tele. Room
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Miss Gandy

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have read your latest book on communism, "Masters of Deceit", with deepest interest and concern.

As the communist party largely depends on our college students for its most - active recruits, I am writing to urge that a determined drive be made to include in our high school curriculum a short course on the evils of communism. If such an appeal should come from a man of national reputation it would have great weight and a great deal of good might be accomplished.

Why cannot the President with his full knowledge of the danger confronting our country make such an appeal?

We must do something to curb this menace which is reaching into every corner of our lives.

I enclose a clipping which may interest you, however we need a more far reaching program then the one suggested.

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The State Treasurer himself a lawyer, said members of the bar have a responsibility to aid in teaching the meaning of liberty, under law and the significance of freedom within the framework of constitutional re-

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January 8, 1959. 62-104277-1110 REC-10 Mr. James Rush Kolp Northwest Investment Company Drawer 112 Ida Grove, Iowa Dear Mr. Kolp: Your note of December 31, 1958, has been received, and your thoughtfulness in writing certainly is appreciated.  $\mathcal{O}$  It was a pleasure to autograph the copy of "Masters of Deceit" presented to you by Thank you very much for Special Agent your kind comments about my associates and my articles on juvenile delinquency. Sincerely yours, b6 m J. Edgar Hoover NOTE: Kolp is the father in-law of Special Agent assigned Baltimore, Resident Agent at Silver Spring, Maryland. The book was autographed in December, 1958, at réquest. MAILED 25 JAN - 8 1959 COMM-FBI

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

I received with a great deal of pleasure, from b70 of Silver Spring, Maryland, an autographed copy of your recent book on communism.

Your organization and the men representing you have gained the respect of all the citizenry of the United States and many foreign countries as well. I have read with a great deal of interest your articles on juvenile delinquency and your common sense writings on hitch-hiking.

I shall always prize my copy of "Mastere of Deceit". With sincere appreciation, I am,

Very truly yours

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Dear Mr.		

Your letter dated January 1, 1959, has been

received.

In response to your inquiry, I wish to advise that my book, "Masters of Deceit," was published by Henry Holt and Company, Inc., 383 Madison Avenue, New York 17, New York, in 1958, and copies of it can be purchased for \$5 from that source or one of your local bookstores.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover Director

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Rebersburg, Pa. Jan.I, 1959.

Mr.Edgar Hoover, FBI Bureau, Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

You are the author of the book- Masters of Deceit. Would you give me the name of the publishing company and their address.

I am interesting in buying a copy.

Respectfully,	,

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ce Memorandum • united states government DATE: 12-29-58 MR. MOHR W. S. TAVELUST, USAN Tamm SUBJECT: "MASTERS OF DECEIT" Trotter W.C. Sullivan AUTÖGRAPHED BY THE Tele. Room DIRECTOR AS CHRISTMAS GIFT Reference is made to your memo to Mr. Polson dated 9-11-58 in which you advised of the interest of many Administrative Division employees in securing copies of the book "Masters of Deceit" autographed by the Director as a Christmas gift for their parents, relatives and friends. To date 215 copies of "Masters of Deceit" have been purchased by our employees and they are most appreciative of the opportunity to surprise their parents, relatives and friends with an autographed copy of this book as a Christmas gift. Payment for the 215 books in the amount of \$634.25 was collected and sent to Crime Records Section. This is submitted for information purposes. EG:bek JAN 15 1959

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January 12, 1959

Mr. 201 West Allegheny Street
Martinsburg, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr.

Your letter of January 5, 1959, has been received.

It was indeed gratifying to have your fine comments concerning my book, "Masters of Deceit," and I want to thank you sincerely, also, for your expression of confidence in the work being done by the FBI. I hope that our efforts will always merit your esteem.

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Sincerely yours,

Un Edgar Hoover

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201 West Allegheny Street Martinsburg, Pennsylvania January 5, 1959

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D.C.

My dear Mr. Hoover

Your book, "Masters of Deceit", certainly deserves the best-sellerdom it had achieved so quickly. It gave me so much informative pleasure I wanted to tell you so. I am recommending it to all my friends as one of the best publications I have ever encountered. I must admit I was quite shocked at some of the facts disclosed in this book. I feel it is one which every able American citizen should read and I also feel it should be placed on the required reading list for our high schools throughout the nation.

If people would only wake up to face the reality that communism does exist and the harmful effects it could have on our future generations, it is my firm belief that the entire party could be liquidated.

May I add, I have always been an ardent admirer of the FBI and its work. I am particularly interested in you Mr. Hoover, your integrity and sincereity. You are my idol of justice and the American way of -104277-1144 life and I sincerely believe you are wholly interested in the welfare of the American people.

Sincerely.

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January 12, 1959

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Pittsburgh 2, Pennsylvania	_
Dear Mrs.	-

Thank you for your note of January 6, 1959, and the copy of the very eloquent prayer which you thoughtfully sent me.

It is indeed encouraging to have your generous remarks concerning my book, Masters of Deceit, and it is gratifying to know that its contents, as well as its format, earned your approval.

MAILED 25 JAN 1 3 1959 COMM-FBI Your courtesy in writing me is indeed appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

NOTE: Correspondent cannot be identified in Buffles She enclosed a copy of a prayer, "Splinters from the Cross."

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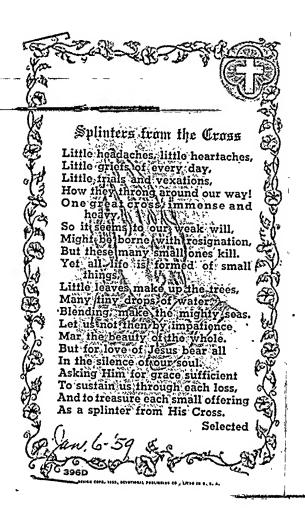
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Mr. Tolson OFFICE OF DIRECTOR Mr. Belmont FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION Mohr UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE January 3, 1959 11655 Kosine Lane Rosen Loveland, Ohio Jones My dear Mr. Hoover, Mr. W.C. Sullivan Tele. Room I have received the autographed Mr. Holloman copy of your book "Masters of Miss Holmes Deceit' from my John Miss Gandy and I would like to express my pleasure and appreciation for this kind gesture. My feelings today are that the era of gangsterism in this country has stepped down from the position of Public Enemy No. 1 and has been replaced by the even greater threat, "gangsters of communism." I am looking forward to reading your book and gaining some insight into the threat of communism to this country and our precious way of life. With the knowledge gained from your book I might, in some small way, help guard against this ever impending threat of communism. Again I wish to thank you and for this thoughtful consideration and to take this opportunity to commend you and your organization on the excellent job it is performing to protoct this country against its internal and external threats. Wishing you and your organization a most healthy and prosperous New Year. ~ Very truly yours, JAN-7-1959

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January 3, 1959 my Dear Mr. Hoover, Toveland, o his I have necessed the autographed capy of your book "masters of Deceit" from John and I would the to express my pleasure and appreciation for their kind Glature. my feelings today are that the era of gangstonism in this country has stepped down from the position of Public Every no. 1 and how been replaced by the even greater threat, "gangatera of communican". I am looking forward to reading your book and gaming some insight ento the tornest of communicain to this Country and our precious way of life. With the knowledge gained from your book I might in some small way, help guard against this ever impending threat of communism. again I west to thouh you and their thoughtful consideration and to take this opportunity to commend you and your organization on the excellent foil it is performing to protect their country against et internal and external threats. Ex. 133 & 62-10+277-1166 Celeshing you and your on pa JAN 124 1959in a most healthy and prosperous new year. Weng Truly your.

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January 14, 1959

Mr. Francis T. Démarest Chief of Police Boise, Idaho

My dear Chief:

Thank you very much for your thoughtful note of January 8, 1959. It was a pleasure to autograph the copy of "Masters of Deceit" which Mr. presented to you, and I certainly appreciate your kind comments.

Sincerely yours,

Un Edgar Hoover

1 - Mr. David M. Rowe - Enclosure

NOTE: assigned Administrative Division, GS-3. The book was autographed in October, 1958, by this request. Bufiles contain nothing derogatory concerning Demarest except a report to the effect that he allegedly drinks too much while off duty.

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J. EDGAR HOOVER, DIRECTOR FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION United States Department of Justice Washington 25, D.C.

DEAR MR. HOOVER: b7C

A CLERK IN THE WASHINGTON, D.C. OFFICE OF THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION AND FORMERLY A POLICEMAN IN THIS DEPARTMENT, WAS IN BOISE CITY DURING THE PAST CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS. AT THAT TIME HE PRESENTED TO ME FROM YOU MASTERS OF DECELT WHICH NOTE IS PERSONALLY AUTOGRAPHED BY YOU UNDER DATE OF OCTOBER 17, 1958.

WISH TO TAKE THIS MEANS OF EXPRESSING TO YOU MY DEEP APPRECIATION OF YOUR KINDNESS AND PLEASE BE ASSURED THAT AFTER THOROUGH READING, IT WILL BE CHERISHED AS ONE OF THE MOST VALUABLE BOOKS IN MY LIBRARY. IT SHALL BE MY PLEASURE TO HAVE OTHERS BENEFIT, EITHER DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, FROM THIS EXPOSURE OF THE THREAT TO THE AMERICAN WAY OF LIFE.

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RANCIS T. DEMAREST CHIEF OF POLICE

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#### STANDARD FORM NO. 64 ce Memorandum UNITED STATES GON DATÊ: 1/8/59 TO Director, FBI Mr. Tolson. Mr. Belmont

SAC, Milwaukee (80-7)

SUBJECT:

ROBERT R. SIEGRIST News Commentator. Bob Siegrist Enterprises, Inc Milwaukee, Wis.

ATTENTION: CRIME RECORDS

ReMilet dated 12/8/58.

Enclosed for the information of the Bureau is a copy of the radio broadcast of BOB SIEGRIST for 12/29/58 on pages 5,6 and 7 of which favorable comment is made concerning the Director and "Masters of Deceit."

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Continuing reports of anti-Communist revolts
in Tibet and China further justify antiCommunists' long-running arguments in behalf
of preservation of Nationalist China.
Siegrist recommends "A Guide to Anti-Communist
Action" as a ready reply to the question:
"What can I do to fight Communism?"
Siegrist also notes that the Schwarz testimony
and several books, long promoted on his broadcasts,
are recommended by the American Bar Association
Special Committee on Communist Tactics, Strategy
and Objectives - and adds recommendation of
"Human Events" and "Counterattack" as additionally
good and useful in formative reading.

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## INTRODUCTION

(Announcer, Larry Clark:)

The ALLEN-BRADLEY COMPANY of Milwaukee, proudly presents BOB SIEGRIST AND THE NEWS.

The ALLEN-BRADLEY COMPANY manufactures quality control apparatus for use with all types of electric motors, electronic components used in the manufacture of radio and television sets, and other electronic components of all varieties.

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Copies of the following broadcast will be available, upon request, at  $25\phi$  per copy.

Ladies and gentlemen, Mr. Siegrist.

With each passing day it becomes increasingly obvious that Khrushchev's Red Chinese comrades are encountering a rapidly-spreading, far-reaching, and deadly serious revolution against their efforts to totally enslave the people of Tibet and China under Mao Tse-tung's completely amoral and inhuman Commune system.

Travelers arriving in Hong Kong from Communist China tonight report almost daily executions in Canton, which is one of China's major cities with many of the executed condemned (Red style) for disrupting the "people's Commune" program, while others are charged with being Chinese Nationalist Intelligence Agents.

Yesterday, a Formosa-based correspondent for an American radio network reported, that anti-Communist revolts by Nomadic, Tibetan and Moslem tribesmen have been harrassing Red China since last April; that the revolts are spreading from Tibet to Southwest China and to the northwest as far as the border of outer Mongolia, and that, last October 6th, these revolts became so serious that Red Chinese Defense Minister Peng Te Huai hurried to the remote Southwestern Province of Singhai, at that time, to direct operations against the rebels. This is precisely the same information that we passed on to you last week as we pointed out that the emergency trip coincided with the temporary cease fire the Communists proclaimed in the Quemoy offshore island area October 6. Yesterday's report also conferred our previous report that:

"On several occasions the intensity of the uprisings surpassed the Hungarian revolt in 1956."

Also yesterday, that Formosa-based reporter added that there was "some kind of liaison" between the Nationalist Government on Formosa and the "anti-Communist forces in Tibet and Northwest China."

Those who use to listen to this reporter as far back as 1950 and 1951, when he was broadcasting, each morning, from another Chicago station, may recall that, in those days, we were reporting on the close and effective manner in which, from Formosa, the Chinese Nationalist government and its intelligence agency was maintaining close, vital, and effective contact with thousands of anti-Communist guerrillas on the mainland. Even at that time, we reported revolts.

Keep in mind that that was back in the days when virtually everyone in and about the Department of State, the White House, the United. Nations, and the American journalism profession was arguing that Nationalist China was done, that Communism had completely subjugated the Chinese people, and that we might just as well completely abandon Chiang Kai-shek and his legitimate government of Free China and recognize and deal with Red China.

These new admissions of ever-mounting revolt in Tibet and China against Kremlin-based Communism not only justify the private intelligence which this reporter was passing on in those dark and dangerous days, but they certainly also justify our long-running argument, based on morality, common sense and private intelligence, that one day the people of China would somehow overcome the overwhelming odds against revolution and destroy their Kremlin-directed masters.

Thus, do these ever-more-frequent reports of rampant revolution throughout Tibet and China not only justify these arguments, arguments which have also been those of the government of Free China as well, of course, but, indeed, do these increasing reports of revolution behind the Bamboo Curtain make all the more amoral and ludicrous every semblance of an argument in favor of anything short of American assistance to the enslaved people of China and Tibet in order that their crusade for liberation be furthered and hastened to what one day

must be its total success in the name of God-intended justice.

We should recall - we should be reminded - by all means, ladies and gentlemen, that contrary to the propaganda the United States Information Service, the State Department and the pussy-foots ramping in Washington, the people behind the Iron and Bamboo Curtains need no encouragement to hate Communism; need no encouragement to revolt against Communism - what they need is arms to help them.

The Nationalist Defense Ministry says Chinese Communist jet fighters have been spotted near the Quemoy offshore islands for the past two straight days.

The U.S. Army has moved in new armored equipment to reinforce its 4,000-man garrison in Communist-threatened West Berlin.

Peter Nikitin, Soviet Deputy Director for Economic Affairs, is Damascus for talks on Russian economic aid to the Syrian region of Nasser's so-called United Arab Republic of Syria and Egypt.

General Charles de Gaulle's government of France has just stunned Frenchmen with a new austerity program of what it calls "truth and severity" and what it will mean in terms of higher prices, lower subsidies and frozen wages for the average Frenchman.

The average Frenchman has reacted as if he had been pushed into a cold shower - it might be good for him but in has made him shudder.

In one swoop over the week-end de Gaulle and his finance minister, small businessman Antoine Pinay, devalued the French franc by 17.55 per cent, unfroze franc exchanges abroad and lifted quota restrictions 90 per cent on France's trade with Western European nations.

Today Pinay announced the price.

Starting January 1, for example, Frenchmen will pay roughly 10 per cent more for cigarettes, wine, coal, railroad tickets, gas, and electricity - either because of higher taxes or because government

price subsidies had been removed.

Automatic cost-of-living wage increases were abolished for all but the lowest paid French workers.

Half a million workers earn only the minimum wage of 149.25 francs an hour, which is about 30.2 cents. Starting February 1, they will get a five to six per cent wage boost. The other workers will have to get by on their present pay.

Farmers will lose \$75,000,000 a year in subsidies and higher social security costs.

France's businessmen will be exposed for the first time in generations to real competition from abroad.

For Americans and other foreigners in Paris - for the time being at least - the devaluation of the franc was a boon, however. The tourist will get exactly 73.70 francs more for each dollar's worth he buys in France.

Thus, until the inevitable price hikes catch up with tourists, they will find goods and services in France 17.55 per cent cheaper than they were before this week-end.

The aim of the reform program - the most drastic since 1928 in France - was to get France ready for the European common market.

The common market starts taking effect on New Year's Day with a 10 per cent reduction in tariffs among its member countries - France,

West Germany, Italy, Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg.

Within 15 to 18 years, if the plan works, these countries will form a single, tariff-free economic bloc as important as the United States or Russia.

De Gaulle had to act decisively or watch France price itself out of the common market.

Previous French governments had devalued the franc seven times

since World War II. But they never had the power that de Gaulle has to enforce the austerity measures that went with devaluation. The upshot always was another round of inflation.

But now France has found what can will be a savior in Charles de Gaulle and of course, the Communists - against who de Gaulle has ever worked - are most unhappy.

And speaking of Communism - for many years, listeners to our broadcasts and members of our lecture audiences have constantly asked the searching question, "What can I do to fight Communism?"

There are, of course, many ways in which all Americans can effectively fight Communism, beginning with their determination to understand it for the menace that it is and the sinister and diabolical manner in which it works against us.

For the essentials of that basic understanding, this reporter could recommend no better text than that set forth by J. Edgar Hoover in his brilliant book, "Masters of Deceit."

But now, at long last, comes a sensational new text which, given a basic understanding of the Communist infamy, goes far to answer that question, "What can I do to fight Communism?"

It's title, very appropriately, is, "A Guide to Anti-Communist Action". It's author is Dr. Anthony T. Bouscaren, a nationally-famous associate professor of political science at Marquette University.

Among other things, "A Guide to Anti-Communist Action" contains special chapters by such recognized experts on the subject as:

J. Edgar Hoover, John Foster Dulles, Hanson Baldwin, David Sarnoff, Geoffrey F. Hudson, and Captain W.D. Puleston (of the U.S. Navy) and Herbert R. O'Conor.

Reviewing this unprecedented book by Dr. Bouscaren, who, last year, served as a member of the faculty of the Army War College, the

authoritative newsletter, "Human Events," says:

"Bouscaren's chief message is that we must abandon the forlorn hope of "coexisting" with communism, and set about to destroy it. In foreign affairs, he points out, this means adopting a policy of 'liberation,' aimed at freeing the captive people behind the Iron Curtain; in domestic affairs, it means an unremitting effort to clean subversives out of Government, to identify and expose Communist fronters and fellow-travelers who mouth the Kremlin's line, and to promote anti-Communist books and periodicals."

And "Human Events" concludes: "This is a pioneer effort in uniting, within the covers of one compact volume, the broad range of Marxist theory and the hard facts about Communist aggression, foreign and domestic. It is a book which every anti-Communist should buy and read." (End quote, "Human Events.")

Since, as this accurate review makes clear, those things set forth in this book, "A Guide to Anti-Communist Action" reflect much of the same things which, as our listeners know, this reporter has long been advocating, we heartily recommend this book as a compact, but valuable, answer to the question frequently put to us: "What can I do to fight Communism?"

It should be further noted that this book, "A Guide to Anti-Communist Action," is recommended by the recent great report by the American Bar Association Special Committee on Communist Tactics, Strategy and Objectives.

Also among the books recommended by that same much-talked-of report are: J. Edgar Hoover's "Masters of Deceit," Judge Robert Morris' "No Wonder We Are Losing," John Noble's "I Was A Slave in Russia," and the famous testimony on "The Communist Mind" by Dr. Frederick Charles Schwarz before the professional staff of the House

Committee on Un-American Activities.

We take considerable pride in reminding our listeners that Mr. Morris, Mr. Noble, Dr. Bouscaren and Dr. Schwarz have all appeared as guests on this program, dating back to nearly three years ago when, on a couple occasions when we were ill, Dr. Bousacaren filled in for us as guest commentator.

Also, as our listerners know, it was the Allen-Bradley Company, our great sponsor, which brought Dr. Schwarz's brilliant testimony to national attention by reproducing that testimony, in two-page advertisement form, in three dozen newspapers from coast-to-coast, and in another 11 newspapers just last week.

Also as we reminded our listeners last week, reprints of Dr. Schwarz' testimony are available, free, in amounts up to 25, to individuals who direct their requests to this reporter, care of WLS, Chicago. Beyond 25 copies, the testimony is available in the same manner at the cost rate of three-and-a-half-cents per reprint - although - the reprints are available - free - in any amounts - to schools, to churches, and to school or church organizations.

Dr. Bouscaren's book, "A Guide to Anti-Communist Action," is available at the nationally-advertised price of four dollars to those who wish to address their order, complete with their check or money order for that amount to this reporter - as is J. Edgar Hoover's "Masters of Deceit," at five dollars, Judge Morris' "No Wonder We are Losing," at two-fifty, and John Nobel's "I Was A Slave In Russia," at three-75.

As the American Bar Association Special Committee's report properly puts it: "Books play a vitally important part in the history of government and economics," as it lists the above-mentioned books and the Schwarz report, as among those which the report describes as,

quote, "A number of books published during the past year by some of the world's top experts on communism (which) testify to the overriding importance of the Communist issue, and to the unhappy reality that the United States is losing the battle against international communism."

It is, as our regular listeners know, upon that precise premise that this reporter has devoted so much attention to reviewing and recommending these and related books, and, as it has developed, to supplying them to the general public.

Among other things, we feel in distinguished company to learn that, by indirection, our ideas and our recommendations and our efforts coincide with the recommendations found in this tremendous and highly informative report by the American Bar Association Special Committee on Communist Tactics, Strategy and Objectives.

And - speaking of furthering the understanding of the dangers against us - we should like at this point, to add a plug here for two great publications which are must reading and must filing for this reporter: "Human Events" and "Counterattack."

We shall be delighted, as a public service, to pass on any requests for information on, or subscriptions to, either of these outstanding monthly newsletters to their respective publishers: Frank

C. Hanighen of "Human Events," and J.G. Keenan of "Counterattack."

Meanwhile, Chicago doctors are struggling tonight to keep life in one day old Gloria Hanses, who weighed only 12 ounces and if she lives - and let's pray she does - she will tie the all time record for the tiniest baby born and to survive.

Let's pray she does ::

Bob Siegrist. Good night.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

January 15, 1957

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover United States Department of Justice Federal Eureau of Investigation Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Edgar:

The attached memo came to me from cur Vice President in charge of our School Terribook Division. I know you will be delighted that MASTERS OF DECEIT is being put to such good use. Do you believe you might find time to drop in and visit with these folks one day?

Most sincerely,

With all good wishes, I am,

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ABOUT Use of MASTERS OF DECEIT in the Wayne, New Jorsey Schools

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Dr. John H. Martin, Superintendent of Schools in Wayne, New Jersey, has set up a five-weeks unit in his Problems of Democracy course for the study of MASTERS OF DECEIT by J. Edgar Hoover. Dr. Martin, his teachers, and his pupils are excited and enthusiastic about this new course, and are planning publicity through newspaper articles as well as a confirmed endorsement by the New Jersey American Legion. In his enthusiasm Dr. Martin has asked Henry Holt if it would be possible to have Mr. Hoover appear briefly at a school assembly any time during the next six weeks. We have told Dr. Martin that Mr. Hoover probably is committed several months in advance, but that we would forward the request to him.

Perhaps, if he cannot fit this into his busy schedule, Mr. Hoover would be willing to write an expression of his interest to Dr. Martin.

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Mr. Tolson Mr. Belmont Mr. Molf Mr. Neb Mr. Parso LA SALLE NATIONAL BANK Mr. Rosen Mr. Tamm. Chicago 90 Mr. Trotter\_ Mr. W.C.Sullivan Tele. Room. Mr. Holloman. PHILIP I BUTLER January 12, 1959 Gandy VICE PRESIDENT Dear Mr. Hoover: A bout with the flu has delayed my writing to thank you for the autographed copy of "Masters of Deceit". I feel highly honored to receive this fine book from such an outstanding American. Your thoughtfulness is very much appreciated. De Kind personal regards, Philip L. Butler Mr. John Edgar Hoover, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation Ninth and Pennsylvania Avenue N.W. 62-1042 Washington, D. C. **REC-92** 16 JAN 15 1959 EX-102 5 7 JAN 20 1959

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Dear Mr.	<b>.</b> -	 

Your thoughtful letter of January 11, 1959, has been received, and I certainly appreciate your expressions of confidence and gracious remarks about Masters of Deceit."

It is good to know that we have your support. This, of course, is not the first time that efforts have been made to discredit us, and I feel certain the American people will not be fooled by the biased charges being leveled against us. Thank you very much for your kind thoughts.

Sincerely yours,

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75-11 254 Street Glen Oaks L. I. N. Y. January 11th, 1959

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I am writing this letter, belated as it is, to let you know, I think you are doing a wonderful job. I am, a simple, hard working family man, active in my Knights of Columbus, and Holy Name organizations. Often times, the future of Our Beloved Country looks very black, I don't know where we would be, if it was not for Great Americans like you.

Your book "Masters of Deceit" was a big contribution, toward stemming the tide of surrender "co-existence, cultural exchange, Mikoyan's visit," etc.

I hope this smear campaign against you will be a complete flop, and possibly serve to awaken some of our leaders, and other misguided Americans, to the real dangers, our beloved Country faces. My prayers will be with you in all your undertakings, I pray you will never become discouraged, because without men like you, Our Great Republic, will become another has been in history. May God Bless and help you, in your difficult, and seemingly impossible job.

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Miss Maureen McManus
Trade Department
Henry Holt and Company, Inc.
383 Madison Avenue
New York 17, New York

Dear Maureen:

Many thanks for your letter of January 13, 1959, and it was pleasant to hear from you.

I am sending you a copy of a letter from Mr. Hoover to Dr. John H. Martin which I thought you would like to see. Mr. Hoover asked me to express his appreciation to you for your thoughtfulness in bringing this matter to our attention.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

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NOTE: Miss McManus is the Publicity Director of Henry Holt and Company, Inc. Complete address per Bufiles.

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Dr. John H. Martin Superintendent of Schools Wayne, New Jercey

Dear Br. Martin:

I have been informed of your intention to use -"Masters of Deceit" as a textbook in connection with a course in American Democracy to be offered to students in your senior classes, and I wanted to write you this note to wish you every success in this very worthwhile project.

It is a source of great personal catisfaction to know you consider my views on the menace of communism worthy of such use. Your efforts to alert our young people to this vital problem are most commendable, especially since there exists a dangeroug apathy on the part of our citizens toward the continuing threat of subversion.

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Trade Department

January 13, 1959

Mr. Clyde Tolson Federal Bureau of Investigation Room 5744, Department of Justice Building Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Clyde:

It is nice to have a reason for writing you again.

We thought that Mr. Hoover would be pleased to know that Dr. John-H. Yartin, Superintendent of the Wayne, New Jersey Schools, plans to use MASTERS OF DECEIT as a textbook in his senior classes, as an auxiliary course of study in Problems of American Democracy. He is working closely with the American Legion in setting up the program, which will be a four week unit. There are over 200 seniors participating in the course.

Dr. Martin made a particular point of calling Holt to tell us about the project, so it occurred to me that perhaps Mr. Hoover might wish to send him a note.

Please remember me to Mr. Hoover, and warm good wishes to yourself.

Sincerely.

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January 19, 1959 REC 27 - 104277-11-22 Lieutenant Detachment 2 - 9th Weather Group Palm Beach Air Force Base West Palm Beach, Florida Dear Lieutenant: Your letter of January 9, 1959, and the copy of "Masters of Deceit" have been received. In response to your request, I am happy to autograph the book which will be returned under separate cover. Sincerely yours, La Edgar Hoover MAILED 30 JAN 1 9 1959 comm.fbl is not identifiable in Bufiles. Self-address NOTE: label enclosed by is being used to return the book. in AM "59. 14 19. DWBijgenns. Boardman Belmont Mohr -Parsons **52** JAN 27 1959 MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director The Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

For the past several years, I have been building a collection of autographed books. I should like very much to add your name to my collection.

Enclosed please find a copy of MASTERS OF DECEIT. I know that you are very busy, but I would appreciate it very much if you would take the time to inscribe and autograph this book for me. I am enclosing return address labels for your convenience.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours,

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Mr. William C. Birely
Executive Vice President
Birely and Company
1700 K Street, Northwest
Washington 6, D. C.

Dear Mr. Birely:

Your note of January 12, 1959, has

been received, and I am glad that you enjoyed reading "Masters of Deceit." If you will forward your copy to me, it will be a pleasure to autograph it.

Sincerely yours,

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

MEMBER

PHILADELPHIA-BALTIMORE

STOCK EXCHANGE

I have had for some time your book "Masters of Deceit" in my library, which I enjoyed very much reading. Would it be asking too much if I ask you to autograph this book for me?

Thanking you for any consideration you give in this matter, I remain,

Sincerely yours,

William C. Birely Executive Vice President

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January 20, 1959

Mr. Edgar T. Rigg President Henry Holt and Company, Inc. 383 Madison Avenue New York 17, New York

Dear Ed:

It will be appreciated if you would forward to me three hundred copies of Masters of Deceit" on consignment. We will reimburse you upon sale of the books.

In addition, would you kindly send us some extra dust covers.

Sincerely,

Clyde Tolson

25 JAN 23 1959

At present we have 100 books on hand. It is felt that additional books should be secured to meet future demands.

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Mr. Tolson... Mr. Belmont Benson B. Pace Mr. Mohr Mr. Neas Mr. P. rson Mr. Rosen Mr. Tamm. Mr. Trotter. Mr. W.C.Sullivan Tele. Reom. Mr. Hollon. January 21, 195 Mr. J. Edgar Hoover United States Department of Justice Room No. 5633 Washington, D.C. Dear Mr. Hoover: Please accept my sincere thanks for the personalized edition of your book, CH'Masters of Deceit", which you sent to me. and I appreciate Both Mrs this gift. **b**6 b7C 133 Ridgeview Avenue Fairfield, Connecticut JAN 23 1959 EX. - 133.

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Dear Mr.	

Your letter of January 17, 1959, with enclosures, has been received, and your interest in my book, "Masters of Deceit," is very much appreciated.

I regret to advise that as a matter of policy I will be unable to offer any comment concerning the article you prepared. I am taking the liberty of referring your letter and manuscript to Mr. Edgar T. Rigg, President, Henry Holt and Company, Inc., 383 Madison Avenue, New York 17, New York, the publisher. I am asking Mr. Rigg to contact you regarding this.



Sincerely yours Edgar Hoover

Clyde Tolson

NOTE: Correspondent cannot be identified in Bufiles. See letter to Mr. Edgar T. Rigg, over Mr. Tolson's signature, of the same date.

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J. Edgar Hoover
Office of the Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
U. S. Department of Justice
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I'm sending you an article I've written containing a portion of your book. Masters of Deceit. In writting this article I assumed the position that I had already secured your permission to reprint various passages from your novel.

If you will, and after having read this article, feel I have taken liberties that you object too, I will revise the article by leaving your writtings out, but this will be done with much feeling of regret.

My only other attempt at writting was several weeks ago when I wrote an article concerning an airplane accident that occured last summer. Being an amateur photographer. I exposed a quanity of film at the scene of the wreck. The easiest method of selling these pictures seemed to be an accompanying article. It must be admitted that as of this date, word has not been received concerning either the pictures or the article.

I would appreciate any help you might care to offer by way of commenting on this article or what methods are to be used in submitting for publication. Also, where would you suggest sending this particular type article for acceptance? Presuming the article will sell, what parts of the payment recieved would be acceptable by you for the portion taken from your book?

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Sincerely,

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Mrs.
4312 Skillman
Dallas 14, Texas

Dear Mrs.

Your letter of January 17, 1959, with enclosure has been received, and your thoughtfulness in writing is appreciated.

I am indeed grateful for your approval of "Masters of Deceit," and I am encouraged by your desire to combat communism. It was kind of you to suggest that my book be used as a text in junior and senior high schools, and I thought you would be glad to know that it already has been made available to schools in many locales.

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January 17, 1959

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover 4936 Thirtieth Place Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I realize you are a very very busy man but beg of you to give the contents of this letter some consideration.

For a long time I have been deeply concerned about the youth of our country not being taught how to combat communism and when your book "Masters of Deceit" was published couldn't help believe that it was the answer. In other words, Mr. Hoover, would it be possible for your book to be used as a text book in all Junior High and Senior High Schools? By the time these youngsters were ready for college they would be well prepared to turn a deaf ear to communism as long as they live. I believe discussions, conversations etc., on how to fight communism should be among children as well as adults.

Something must be done to linform the youngsters of the United States of the rapid progress the communists are making for some day they will ask why they were not informed of same. Mr. Hoover you have done many many wonderful things for this country but this would be one of the greatest deeds ever. Please don't let 1959 pass without your doing all in your power to get the schools in America to teach the children how to fight communism.

Thank you for your time.

Most sincerely,

4312 Skillman Dallas 14, Texas

I sincerely believe every State in the Union would be most interested in "Masters of Decest" JAbecoming a text book. As you so very well know, however, the communists over here would fight the idea.????

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January 27, 1959

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I was indeed pleased to receive your cordial note of January 21, 1959, in which you commented so favorably concerning my book, "Masters of Deceit."

Your generous remarks are most encouraging, and I do appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing. I am glad that my views on the menace of communism merited your approval.

Sincerely yours, J. Edgan Hoover

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21 January 1959.

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover Department of Justice Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Yesterday I had occassion to speak with one of your New York Agents regarding an organization which seemed suspiciously like a Communist front. He advised me to write to the Attorney General in Washington if I was interested in knowing whether it was a front organization as he could not pass this information on to me. This I have done.

During our conversation I had mentioned that I read your Masters of Deceit". I further told him that I thought you did a masterful job and a definite service to the country. As a consequence he said "Why don't you drop the Chief a note, he likes to hear things like that." Here is your note.

After finishing the book, my first thought was that it would make an excellent text book for all school children. I hope someone in Washington had the foresight to give a copy of it as a going-away gift to Mr. Mikoyan.

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January 21, 1959

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I have just completed reading your book "Masters of Deceit" and wish to compliment you on this very fine. volume.

We wish to present the information contained in your work at sales meeting held periodically during the year 1959 to a group of retail milk salesmen. I was wondering if you had any slides, or charts which might point out the organization of the Communist Party in Europe and in this country or any other information that we could use in illustrating such a series of lectures to our people.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Very truly yours,

CROWLEY'S MILK COMPANY, Inc.

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January 30, 1959

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Dear	· Mr.	;

Your letter dated January 22, 1959, has been received.

I was very pleased to have your evaluation of my book, "Masters of Deceit," and I am glad you enjoyed reading it. Thank you also for your kind comments concerning the work being done by the FBI and for your best wishes.

Sincerely yours.

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L Edgar Hoover

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Mr. Tolson.

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22 January 1959.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

Having just finished reading "Masters of Deceit" I feel that I would like to write to you to tell you firstly how extraordinarily interesting I found the book & secondly what a great international service you have performed by exploring Communism & making its aims & methods inteligible to the ordinary man in the street. I knew nothing whatever about the Party before reading your book \*& I have certainly had my eyes opened. One of the most illuminating passages showing the single-mindedness of these people in where you wrote the case of the comrade who was told he was sleeping too much & should cut his rest back in order to have more time for Party work.

Your book had a good review in the paper I take. I only hope a lot of people will read it, but I have yet to see many copies on sale. Mine had to be ordered specially.

I should like to end by wishing you personally & the Bureau, for whom I have the highest regard, every success in the future.

Yours sincerely	
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P.S. I should add by way of a postscript that "Persons in Hiding" has a prominent place on my bookshelves.

Return address as shown on envelope:

Placewood Farm, Hambledon,

N. Godalming, Surrey,
England

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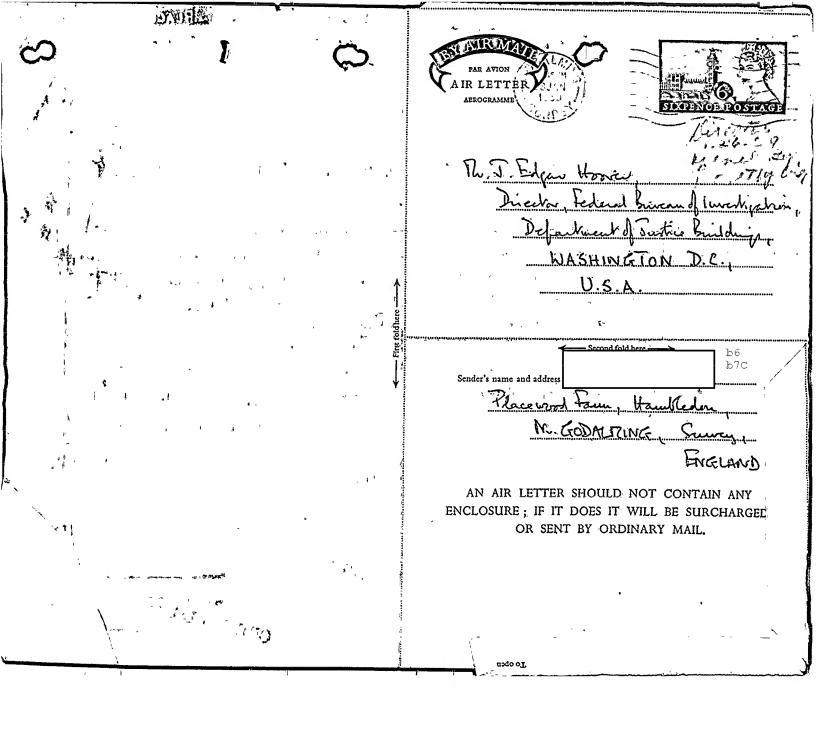
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Jan. 27, 1959

Editor, New York Herald Tribune Dear Sir:-

Roscoe Drummond's columns Sunday

and Monday, Jan. 25 and 26:

Emily Pst\_could find no fault with thee question to Mikoyan on barbarism, butchery and denial of human rights in Russia, but all this. record was well known before Mikoyan came to this country and we did a perfect job to keep the placards with the record away from the tender feelings of Mikoyan. In Monday's column Mr. Drummond featured the Overstreet book on the Reds as required reading. Did he do as much for MASTERS OF DECEIT" by J. Edgar Hoover, a proven

authority on Russia's methods, aims and character

Sincerely,

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JUL 221960 mz mz Industrial Motors Commercial and Supplies Residential Fixtures Appliances Jan 29-1959 TORRINGTON, WYOMING Mr. J. Edgar Hoover. Dear Mr. Hoover I want to thank you for the outhographed copy of your book Masters of Deceit. I have studied it and that so much of it, that it is being lent to many in this We are proud of the work comunity. you and your and our F.B.J. are doing. OMASters of Deceit Sincerely **b**6 19e 62-104277-1136 53 FEB 9

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Mr. C. E. Schooley Vice President and General Manager Indiana Bell Telephone Company, Inc. 240 North Meridian Street Indianapolis 9, Indiana

Dear Mr. Schooley;

I was indeed pleased to receive your cordial letter of January 27, 1959, in which you commented so favorably concerning my book, "Masters of Deceit."

and Mr. of our Indianapolis Division are very encouraging, and I am taking the liberty of bringing your communication to their attention. I know they will be as gratified with your favorable expressions as I am.

I trust that you will not fail to let us know whenever we can be of assistance to you.

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Sincerely yours,

L Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Mr. Schooley was given an autographed copy of the Director's book, "Masters of Deceit," per request contained in letter dated 12-11-57 from SAC Powers of Indianapolis Office. A copy of our reply is not being designated for the personnel file of the Mr. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ referred to since personnel records indicate that there are two SA's assigned to the Indianapolis Office with the name \_\_\_\_\_\_ and Mr. Schooley's letter contains no data to identify the \_\_\_\_\_\_ with whom he has had dealings.

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INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

240 North Meridian Street

C.E. SCHOOLEY
VICE PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER

January 27, 1959

Mr. Trotter\_\_\_\_\_ Mr. W.C,Sullivan Tele. Room\_\_\_\_ MELRCSMES-Billoman\_\_\_ Miss Gandy\_\_\_\_

Mr. Tolson Mr. Belmont Mr. Dolock Mr. Motylire Mr. Motylire

Mr. Parsons. Mr. Rosen\_\_\_ Mr. Tamm\_\_

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

of your book, Masters of Deceit", a few days ago. I am sure it will be well worth reading and from the standpoint of our job in communications, I know the subject will help us understand better what our problems are. I appreciate the opportunity to have this book.

Even though I have only been with Indiana Bell for about a year, it has been my good fortune to know, personally, Mr. Ed Powers, your agent in charge, as well as Mr. and other members of his organization. Mr. Powers spoke to some of our telephone organizations and I also was privileged to hear him speak before the Indianapolis Rotary Club.

We think very highly of Powers, and this office and intend to work very closely with them in our mutual problems.

Sincerely,

Vice President and General Manager

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C. D. DeLoach to Mr. Tolson memorandum

### RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. It is recommended that the attached letter for Mr. Tolson's signature be sent to Mr. Rigg advising him of Cardinal Cushing's interest in a paperback edition of the book and that he might be in touch with Mr. Rigg in the next few days.

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2. That Supervisor Orrin H. Bartlett, who will accompany the President's party on a trip to Mexico on February 19 and 20, familiarize himself with this matter in view of the Ambassador's interest. During a visit to the United States last July, Ambassador Hill mentioned this matter twice to Vice President Nixon as a measure very beneficial to the United States.

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# ffice Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

: Mr. De Loych
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DATE: February 2, 1959

SUBJECT: REVIEW OF "MASTERS OF DECEIT"

IN 'WORLD MARXIST REVIEW"

JANUARY, 1959

The January, 1959, issue of "World Marxist Review" contains a review of "Masters of Deceit" written by one John/Gibbons. The "World Marxist Review" is identified as the English edition of "Problems of Peace and Socialism" published in Prague. Distributors of the English edition are listed as Central Books LTD, 37 Gray's Inn Road, London, W. C. 1.

As expected, being a communist publication, the review of 'Masters of Deceit" is most critical and derogatory. The review is filled with old canards to the effect that the Director is a thought control policeman, a manipulator of secret informants and a tool of American big business. The review contains nothing new, being exclusively a rehash of previous communist attacks against the FBI and Mr. Hoover personally.

Among the allegations made in the review are the following:

- 1. There is no truth in 'Masters of Deceit." 'Yet truth is precisely the one element missing from the F.B.I. arsenal, and one would need a pretty powerful microscope to discover much of it in 'Masters of Deceit.'"
- 2. The book is a conglomeration of untruths gathered together by ghost writers for the purpose of trying to defeat communism.
- The FBI liss a secret police, born of deceit in 1908. It was founded by an Attorney General named Bonaparte, a relative of the first Napoleon. It was founded contrary to the wishes of Congress.

4. The FBI in World War I carried out a number of draft raids. In New York alone 75,000 men were arrested.

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- 5. After World War I, Mr. Hoover and the FBI were involved in raids against "radicals." Mention is made of the S. S. Buford in which a number of radicals were deported. These raids are denounced by the author as contrary to the concepts of freedom.
- 6. During the period between World War I and World War II Hoover, according to the review, devoted his energies to strike-breaking. In every strike he saw "the hand of Moscow." "Here he was in his element, working directly for his paymasters—the big corporations. These empires of high finance and industry maintain their own secret service bureaus for spying on their workers, and most of their agents are recruited from the F.B.I., no doubt with a suitable recommendation from its chief. In 1922 when railroad shopmen were resisting a wage cut, F.B.I. detectives arrested 1, 200 workers and, of course, broke the strike."
- 7. The FBI's collection of fingerprints and files actually is an attempt to secure information against freedom loving people. It is alleged that this card index system is utilized to catalogue the thoughts of citizens. The Bureau's interest in fingerprinting "impelled a newspaper reporter to the somewhat irreverent comment that Mr. Hoover, apparently, would not be satisfied until he had added the fingerprints of the Statue of Liberty to his collection."
- 8. Hoover inspired, encouraged and furnished documents to Senator McCarthy.
- 9. The FBI uses confidential informants by the thousands, one of whom was the notorious Harvey Matusow. The FBI is a master of telephone tapping, character assassination, fear, hysteria, bookburning.
- 10. Cyrus Eaton is cited as declaring that even Hitler never had a spy organization such as the FBI.
- 11. Presidents and Congresses have come and gone since Hoover first took command, but he, "like the old man of the sea, clings to the body politic."
- 12. "Masters of Deceit," despite all its bluster "is a testament to failure." Mr. Hoover simply because he is a "policeman, is incapable of understanding the simple truth that the Communist Party is indestructible because it is the flesh and blood of the working class." Hence, despite all the FBI's opposition the Party remains.

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It is obvious from this review that the communists the world over are making extensive use of Max Lowenthal's "The Federal Bureau of Investigation." (Lowenthal is actually mentioned by name in this review and it is very clear that many of the allegations against the Bureau have been taken directly or indirectly from Lowenthal.) It is also clear that the international communist movement is collecting current information about the FBI especially with reference to allegations and attacks made on it. It is noted that Cyrus Eaton is mentioned in this review.

File 100-3-81-8418 reflects that "World Marxist Review" is the English language version of "Problems of Peace and Socialism" which began publication in August, 1958, in Prague. Issued in 16 languages, it apparently is designed to succeed the Cominform Journal "For a Lasting Peace, For a People's Democracy!" which was discontinued when the Cominform was dissolved in 1956. John Gibbons, the author, may be identical with John Gibbons identified as a member of the Communist Party of Great Britain and formerly prominent in the Young Communist League. Gibbons reportedly was appointed Moscow's correspondent of the New York "Daily Worker" (1944). He is known to have attended the Lenin School. (100-349627-2)

It is noted that this issue of "World Marxist Review" contains an article by William Z. Foster, identified as "Honorary Chairman of the Communist Party of the U.S.A."

A copy of the review is attached.

### RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information.

February 9, 1959

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Mr. **b**6 Post Office Box 814 Hereford, Texas Dear

I was indeed pleased to receive your cordial note of February 3, 1959, and I want you to know that your thoughtfulness in writing me is deeply appreciated.

Your generous observations concerning Masters of Deceit," are most encouraging, and I am thankful for your congratulations. It is heartening to know that my views on the menace of communism have earned your approval and that the other members of your family enjoyed reading my book.

Sincerely yours,

L. Edgar Houser

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Hon. J. Edgar Hoover Director, F. B. I. Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I want you to know I have recently read your book "Masters of Deceit," and enjoyed every world, it was quite informative. Do wish every high school student should be required to read your book. I hope a condensation can appear in the Readers Digest. That you would be interested in knowing how I come to read your story. My grandson purchased the book and was so impressed with it contents, that his mother bought a copey and sent it to me. Please accept my congratulations on the excellent work you have accomplished.

Hereford Texas

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Right Reverend Monsignor Matthew J. Smith

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Editor Denver Register 938 Bannock Street Denver 1, Colorado

Dear Monsignor:

I have just read the column entitled 'Mikoyan Seeks Soft Spot in Our National Security in the January 15, 1959, edition of your newspaper, and I wanted to let you know how much I appreciate the use of material from my annual report and 'Masters of Deceit. "

Certainly, anyone who reads the forceful comments contained in this article should not have an apathetic feeling toward the communist menace. It is a pleasure to see portions of my report and book used in such a manner. I am enclosing some material regarding the smear campaign currently being directed against us, which I thought you might find of interest.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Extension of Remarks by Hon. H. Allen Smith on 1-19-59 in Congressional EdBecord & Remarks by Gordon H. Scherer on 1-15-59 in Congressional Record

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fice Memorandum • UNITED STAQS GOVERNMENT DATE: January 16, 1959 Director, FBI ATTENTION: Crime Records SAC, Denver (66-1415) "MASTERS OF DECEIT" SUBJECT: Enclosed herewith is an editorial appearing in the Mr. W. S. January 15, 1959, issue of the "Denver Catholic Register." Mr. Hollo It is noted how the writer refers to the Director's book Miss Gam "Masters of Deceit" as well as to the Director's report. This particular article points up the great value of the book as reference material for those individual writers concerned with the security of the United States. This newspaper is published by the Catholic Press Society which also publishes a national weekly edition. The Register chain of newspapers, as well as their national The edition, has an extensive Catholic national circulation. (Encl. 1) ENCLC URE 2) Bureau Denver JCL:mms (3)

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## Mikoyan Seeks Soft Spot

## in Our National Security

By Bob Ramsey
THE APATHY WE AMERICANS show toward Communist infiltration of our country continues to grow.

In his year-end report made this past December, J. Edgar Hoover warned us saying: "Sensing a more favorable atmosphere, the Communist Party, U.S.A., and its dupes and sympathizers gained further courage and became more vocal in their attacks upon law enforcement and other professions which are dedicated to preserving our freedoms.

"Its leadership reins are firmly held by rabidly pro-Soviet elements and the party's ultimate objective remains the overthrow and destruction of our government by force and violence."

AT THIS WRITING, Anastas I. Mikoyan, Soviet Deputy Premier, is touring the U. S.

Acting as a messenger boy for Nikita Khrushchev, Mikoyan has as his purpose here to find a soft spot in our national security for a groundbreaking ceremony.

Wielding the tools of "peaceful co-existence" and "trade," Mikoyan hopes to unearth the first spadeful of compromise between the U.S. and the U.S.S.R. If the Red deputy can accomplish this then the ground breaking for Khrushchev's boast, "We will bury you," will have been successfully inaugurated.

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ACTING AS an international barker for world Communism, Mikoyan thinks and works as a Communist. He uses terms that to him and to all Communists have a completely different meaning from the one ordinarily associated with them.

Take the word compromise. Usually the word means to reach an agreement after concessions have been made by both sides.

For a Communist's definition of compromise we refer to Masters of Deceit, written by Mr. Hoover. In his book the FBI chief lists a glossary of words and terms often used by the Reds.

January 15, 1959 Denver Catholic Register Published weekly by The Catholic Press Society, Inc.

Editor - Rt. Rev. Matthew Smith



62-104277- 114/1 ENCLOSURE AT THE TOP of page 343 WE find: "COMPROMISE (MANEUVER, CONCES-SIONS):

"Tactics whereby, in order to promote the ultimate goal of Communism, adjustments and temporary agreements can be made with the enemy, that is, the non-Communist world. 'Concessions do not mean peace with capitalism, but war on a new plane'." (Lenin)

On his sight-seeing sally around the nation, Mikoyan stresses the need for trade as a means to lessening the tensions of the cold war.

While in Cleveland he said:
"Trade can help strengthen
peace, and peace on the other
hand creates the proper conditions for trade."

AGAIN WE TURN to Mr. Hoover's monumental work on Communism. In Chapter 14, called "Communist Strategy and Tactics," he writes: "They (Communists) urge the development of a peacetime economy by advocating trade between the United States and Russia because Russia

would benefit." The Communists believe, writes Hoover, that "co-operation or collaboration with non-Communists must never be more than a tactic. It must have as its actual long-range goal the weakening and discrediting of democracy and its eventual destruction."

IN A RECENT weekly column, "The Reds — What Now?," written by Louis Budenz and carried in some of the diocesan papers of the Register system, Budenz refers to Comrade Mikoyan as a "monster of terrorism," a "political trickster," and a "sycophant."

Recalling how Mikoyan was once the trusted friend of Dictator Stalin, Budenz tells how the travel-minded deputy premier hailed Stalin as "The leader of the peoples of the Soviet Union and of oppressed humanity the world over."

BUT AFTER STALIN'S death in 1953, Mikoyan had a change of heart. Budenz writes: "He (Mikoyan) took the lead in downgrading

Stalin in order to build up the iron rule of Khrushchev."

"That the same double-dealing spirit marks Mikoyan in his coming here," Budenz continues, "is indicated by the November issue of Political Affairs issued from Moscow under Mikoyan's direction. It is replete with attacks on the U.S. as 'the main force of present-day imperialism' and of 'aggression'."

AND SO MIKOYAN is at present visiting "imperialistic" America. His coming here at its best can be described as a betrayal.

We are reminded of an incident similar to the one being enacted by Mikoyan as he tours the nation.

The betrayer, known as Judas, came as a peace-loving friend to the One who was to be betrayed. His words were those you might expect to hear from a trusted son. Remember them well and the consequences they introduced. "And forthwith coming to Jesus, he said, 'Hail Rabbi.' And he kissed Him" (Matt. xxvi, 49).

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February 9, 1959

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Otis Air Force Base, Massachusetts

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Dear Mrs.

Your very cordial letter of January 29, 1959, has been received, and I want you to know that your generous comments are most encouraging.

I am indeed pleased that you found "Masters of Deceit" of interest, and it is heartening to know that my views on the menace of communism have earned your approval. Your favorable rémarks mean a great deal to me because they indicate that I have accomplished those objectives which prompted me to write this book. I am glad that it was of some help in explaining not only the meaning of communism but the methods used by its conspirators to undermine all the freedoms which we hold so dear.

I am taking the liberty of sending you some material which I thought you might like to see.

Sincerely yours,

Edgar Hooger

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Enclosures (5)

God & Country or Communism?

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How to Fight Communism

100 Things you should know about communism in the U.S.A.

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29 January 1959

Dear sir;

I have just finished reading your book "Masters of Deceit." and found it one of the most interesting and informative books I have ever read.

I find this an extremely difficult letter to write as I have never written a "fan letter" before. I am one of those "average American house wives" so often spoken of. My husband is a Captain in the Air Force and we have three children, whose future we are most concerned with in these uncertain times.

I have looked, so many times, for a book that would explain simply and exactly, "What is Communism?", "How does it work?", "What are its ultimate goals?" and "How does it affect American?" At last I have found the answers in your "Masters of Deceit."

I feel your book should be put on the required reading list of every senior high school and college in our country and every housewife encouraged to read it.

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Sincerely,

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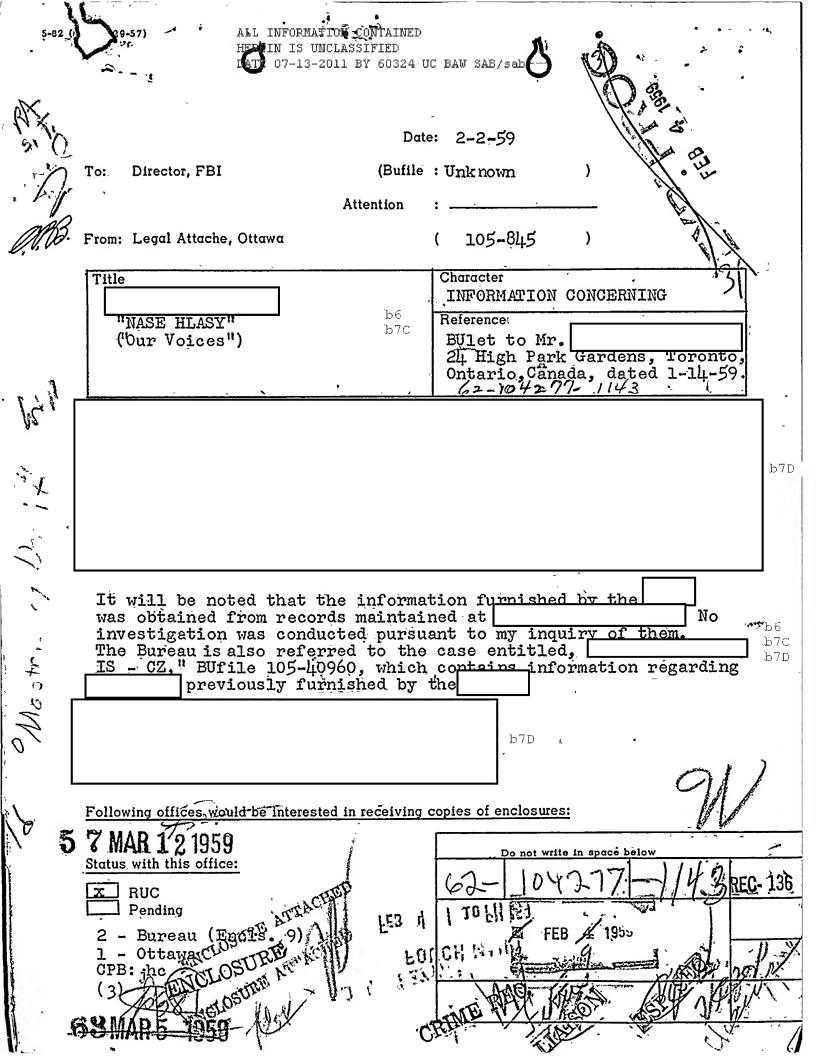
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February 10, 1959 PERSONAL 6-10-2277-1144 **REC- 92** Mr. 1903 West 35th Street b6 b7C Auctin 3, Texas Dear Mr. Your letter postmarked February 3, 1959, has been received, and I want to thank you for your generous comments concerning my book, "Lasters of Deceit." As long as citizens like you continue to be alert to the serious threats facing the security of our Kation, I am convinced that we will be able to successfully thwart the insidious activities of those who would subvert our way of life. Your good words are most encouraging and deeply appreciated. Circerely yours, Fr Frem Gooder COMM-FHI -L Itt . - . 1 MAILED 20 NOTE: Bufiles reflect nothing identifiable with correspondent. JRH:abs Belmont DeLoach (4)McGuire

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Austin 3, Texas January 31, 1959

1903 West 38th St.

Mr. Tolson Mr. Belmontoc Mr. DeLoack Mr. McGu Mr. Mohr Mr. Parsons Mr. Rosen., Mr. Tamm.

J. Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C.

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Dear Mr. Hoover:

Have jyst finished reading your recent book which was published in 1957 entitled "Masters of Deceit" and believe thatit should be read by everyone regardless of their profession, business or station in life.

I was prepared to find out a lot of things I did not already know, but I was also amazed to find out a lot of things were a lot worse than I thought they were. We just hope, and I am sure that you do to, that more people will give more thought to the basic freedoms they so glibly accept and take for granted every minute of every day.

We think so much of your book that we are going to use some of the material from your book to present to local church groups. These will be panel group discussions and will of course tie-in with and be contrasted with Christianity. Communism as a religion when presented to Faithful Christians should be quite refreshing to say the least.

Anyway, I enjoyed reading your book and do hope that you will get to see this letter.

Hope that you will have many more successful and healthy years in your present. job. God Bless You!!

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Mr. Edgar T. Rigg President Henry Holt and Company, Inc. 283 Madison Avenue New York 17, New York

Dear Ed:

Enclosed is an \$320.43 check from the FBI Recreation Association in payment of Invoice Number 79062 for 300 copies of Masters of Deceit's on consignment. The duplicate invoice is also being returned to you.

Sincerely,

Clyde Tolson

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February 6, 1959

The Senior Class
Saint Mary School
Lake Leelanau, Michigan

Dear Mr.

I was indeed pleased to receive your letter of January 30, 1959, and it was thoughtful of you to write me.

While I would like to be of service, I regret that I do not have a supply of 'Masters of Deceit' from which I could forward you a complimentary copy. I do want to thank you for your very generous remarks concerning this book, and I am glad to know that the students at your school have enjoyed reading it.

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Sincerely yours,

NOTE: Bufiles contain no record of correspondent or the school. Records fail to reflect that a complimentary copy of this book was sent to your this school. It is possible, or course, that they received it from another source. Recognizing the number of similar requests that might be received if a complimentary copy is forwarded, it is not believed that we should comply with this request.

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SAINT MARY SCHOOL

Lake Leelanau, Michigan

January 30, 1959

Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Last year our school received a complimentary copy of your book, <u>Masters of Deceit</u>. The students here enjoy it very much and it has been in use almost constantly from the day we received it.

There is a parish near us that is starting a new library and we thought <u>Masters of Deceit</u> is one book that must be in it. Would it be at all possible for us to have another complimentary copy that we could present to them?

We will be glad to hear from you.

Sincerely,

The Senior Class

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February 6, 1959

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Mr. 1125 Tyler Street **b**6 b7C Fairfield, California Dear Mr.

Your letter of January 29, 1959, has been received, and your thoughtfulness in writing is appreciated. It was a pleasure to autograph the copy of "Masters of Deceit" which was presented to you.

I am sorry that I was away from the office when you visited in 1950, and I hope you will stop by to see us again when you are in Washington. Thank you very much for your generous remarks and your good wishes.

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Mr. Mak Mr. Parsons Mr. Rösen Mr. Tamm 29 January 1959 Mr. Trotter 1125 Tyler Street, Mr. W.C.Sullivan Fairfield, Californiacle Room. Mr. Holloman Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice, Washington, D. C. My dear *U*r. Hoover: I sincerely thank you for your kindness in autographing the copy of your most interesting book, "Masters of Deceit", which my b7C very good friend. of Roswell, New Mexico, sent me for Christmas. I have regretted exceedingly that on the only occasion I have had to visit the Bureau, during a trip to Washington in 1950, you happened to be out of the City and I was unable to meet you. I did, however, meet Mr. Clegg and enjoyed an interesting conversation with him. I also spent. a most enlightening half-day being shown the functions of your organization. At that time, as a favor to my friend, George Franklin who was an agent in your Albuquerque office, you autographed one of your photographs and had it mailed to me. I appreciated this very much and I am most proud to have it in my home. I have also read with much interest "The FBF Story" by Don Whitehead. outlining the history of your organization. I wish to take this opportunity to congratulate you and the personnel for the extremely efficient service you have created, and to thank you for the fine and tireless job you and your men are doing to safeguard our national and private wellbeing. 1 I wish you and the personnel of the Bureau health, happiness, prosperity and continued success in the years to come. wind 2459 23 FEB 3 1959

This is Polish Radio Warsaw, voice of peace and friendship calling North America."

Well at least that's what the announcer said. Would that it were so. Would that names like Paderewski, Pulaski, Kosciuszko, Chopin, Copernicus, and Mickiewicz were in the news from Poland today rather than the mouthings of hirelings. Would that the Polish-people were not presently in the grasp of Masters of Deceit. Would that their voice could reach the air.

It can and in due time will. When it does it will broadcast one message: An end to treachery! An end to spies and liars!.

From the first hand knowledge of conversation with people who were part of the Battle of Warsaw, I am aware of the Polish peoples over-riding abhorance of communist duplicity.

It will be my hope and prayer that the restoration of independence to Poland may somehow be accomplished without a torrent of bloodshed. Because the false philosophy of communism deceives even its own adherents is no reason they themselves should suffer violence.

Sincerely yours.

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February 16, 1959

EZC-15 17 -1/14 -77-1/50 Mrs. 6 Sheffield Drive **b**6 Newark 4, New Jersey b7C Dear Mrs Your letter of February 10, 1959, has been received, and I am sorry to learn that you have been unable to secure a copy of "Masters of Deceit." Tregret we do not have copies of the book for sale; however, if you cannot locate one in your local book or department stores, I suggest you contact Henry Holt and Company, Inc., 383 Madison Avenue, New York 17, New York, the publisher. Sincerely yours, V. Edgar Eta -1 - Newark / Enclosure Please note problem encountered by correspondent NOTE: Bufiles contain no record on Mrs. py comes sout to Ed Riga FEB 101950 Tolson McGuire. Mohr Parsons **2 FEB** 20 1959 €

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MAIL ROOM \_\_\_\_ TELETYPE UNIT \_\_\_\_

6 Sheffield Drive Newark 4, New Jersey February 10, 1959

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

I have been trying for quite some time to purchase your most recent book, "Masters of Deceit," but am very unsuccessful in locating a seller. Not only has most people heard of it, but also no one knows where to purchase a copy.

I certainly would appreciate it very much if you would kindly tell me where I might purchase a copy, or if by chance you may have extra copies, I would be more than happy to send you a check for this wonderful and long awaited masterpiece.

Thank you ever so much.

Very truly yours,			el	
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February Mr J. Edgar Hoover Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, V. C. Vear Mr. Hower. I have been trying for quite some time to purchase your most recent book, Moster of Deceit; but an very unsuces ful in locating a seller. Not only must people theard of it, but also mo one knows when to punhose a copy. I certainly would appreciate it very much if you would kindly tell me when I might purhase a copy, or if they chame, you may have eften espies, I would be
REC- 15 62-104277-1159 more than he 136. To for this wonderful and ling awa mosteymen. 3. 3. Thank you ever so much. Jun 12/59

February 6, 1959 REC 18 62-114277-1131 511 Vine Street **b**6 Martins Ferry, Ohio Dear Mr. Your letter of February 2, 1959, has been received, and I am pleased to learn that "Masters of Deceit" has inspired your Holy Name Society to organize a workshop for the study of communism. In response to your request, I am glad to enclose a statement. It is good to know that your group is supporting the FBI against the vicious efforts to smear us. I am enclosing material relating to the biased charges with which we are faced that you might like to read. I also am enclosing some information on communism. Thank you very much for your kind comments. Sincerely yours, MAILED 25 I. Edgar Hoover Enclosures (9) Remarks by Honorable H. Allen Smith, Congressional Record 1/19/59. Remarks by Honorable Gordon H. Scherer, Congressional Record 1/15/59. How to Beat Communism God or Chaos? God and Country or Communism? How to Fight Communism Communism in the U.S.A. Belmon The 16th Convention of the Communist Party, U.S.A. 8 w/8 1 - Miss Gandy - Enclosure -b6

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February 6, 1959

If is a pleasure to send greetings to those participating in the Holy Name Society's Workshop on Communism. I am most encouraged by the fact that you are interested in learning more about the communist menace and the dangers it poses to our way of life.

The communist doctrine is diabolically opposed to all that we hold dear, and its followers are constantly alert for any signs of weakness on our part which they can exploit. If all Americans will avail themselves of the truth and not become apathetic, much of the battle against this evil force will have been won. My associates join me in vishing you every possible success in this endeavor.

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511Vine St. Martins Ferry , Ohio Feb. 2, 1959

Federal Bureau of Investigation Attention: Mr. J. Edgar Hoover Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

We have a favor to ask of you. Your book "Masters of Deceit" has inspired our organization of sponsor a workshop on Communism. This Workshop will be attended by about 500 men. It would greatly assist us if you would write us a few lines commenting on our Workshop and its topic. These could be used to stimulate interest. The Workshop will be held on April 12 but is you would be so kind we would appreciate your comments prior to that.

Our organization closely watches the attempted attacks on the and resists all attempts to discredit your wonderful F.B.I. God has certainly blessed our country by permitting us to have the benefits of an organization such as yours. May He continue to bless you and your work. Please accept our thanks for the few minutes you may be able to spare to assist us.

John J. Hungerman Chairman of the Workshop Committee 511 Vine St. Martins Ferry, Ohio

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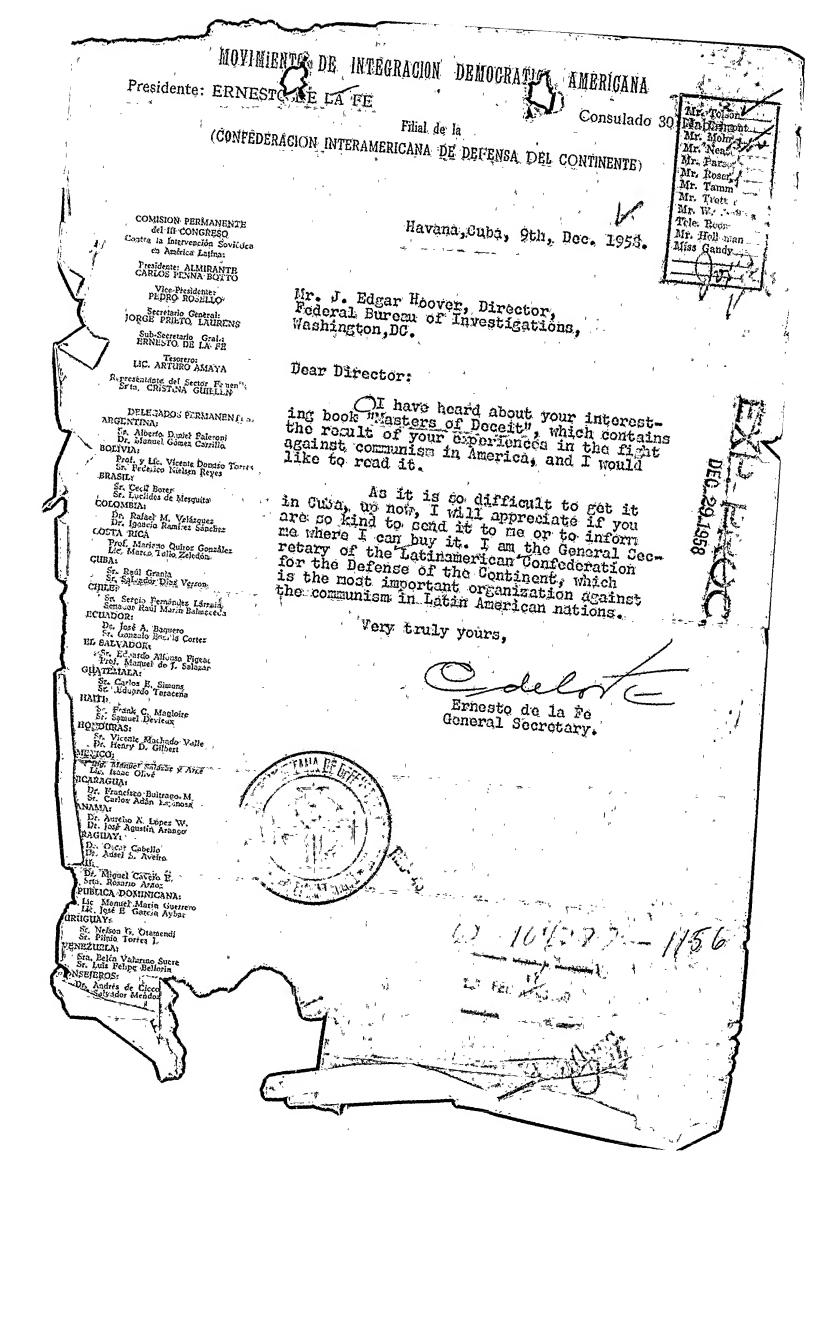
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Rebruary 17, 1959 62-10-11-1157 Miss **b**6 New Vienna, Iowa b7C Dear Miss I was glad to receive your letter of February 8, 1959, and I was pleased that you are enjoying my book, "Masters of Deceit." Because I feel it important that the youth of our country comprehend fully the responsibilities of the FBI, I am enclosing material which I think will assist you in understanding the scope of our authority. You may be certain that any violations within the investigative jurisdiction of this Bureau are promptly handled and the results presented to the Department of Justice for their prosecutive opinion. Sincerely yours, J. Edgar Hoover MAILED 8 FEB 17 1959 COMM-FBI Enclosures (4) FBI Story Know Your FBI FBI Laboratory Services of the FBI Address NOTE: Bufiles reflect no record on Miss according to incoming since library fails to reflect street address. Relmont DeLoach McGuire DCJ:cae 🖰 DINN Mohr W.C. Sullivan

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New Vienna, Iowa February 8, 1959

J. Edgar Hoover Fed. Bureau of Investigation 9th Pennsylvania Avenue Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover

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P.S. I am now reading your book "Masters of Deceit."
It is a "must" book in our high school. I was so shocked by the determination of the communists that I am thankful for having gotten a chance to read it.

Thank you for your time

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